

## **Duke planning siren test Wednesday**

SENECA — The 65 sirens around Oconee Nuclear Station will be tested at 11:50 a.m. Wednesday.

State, county and Duke Energy officials perform the tests once per quarter to ensure the sirens are operating properly. County emergency officials in Pickens and Oconee counties are responsible for sounding the sirens.

Hearing a siren does not mean residents need to evacuate. In an emergency, the siren sounding is a signal for residents to tune to a radio or TV station in their area that would carry an emergency message. County officials would use these stations to provide information to the public.

The test will last for three minutes.

For more information about the public alert notification sirens, visit [duke-energy.com](http://duke-energy.com).

— *The Journal staff*